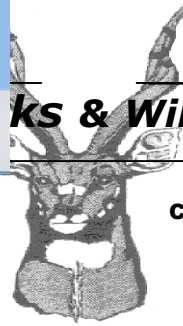


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The Gambia

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (DEVELOPMENT OF BUSINESS PLAN AND FUND RAISING STRATEGY)

COUNTRY: The Gambia

PROJECT: The Gambia Biodiversity Management & Institutional Strengthen Project

GRANT NO: TF098110

ASSIGNMENT TITLE: Development of Business plan and Fund raising strategy

REFERENCE NO. : GBMIS/CS/11

The Government of the Gambia has *received* financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the **Strengthening Integrated Biodiversity Management**, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services (the services) include the identification, development and implementation of a practical and feasible sustainable revenue generation for Kiang West National Park, Tanji Bird Reserve and their buffer zone areas. The assignment will also identify the primary steps to be undertaken towards establishing the sustainable financing system in these two pilot sites, and will guide the department to develop a replication model in sustainable financing of wildlife protected areas in the Gambia. The assignment will be conducted within a period of 6 weeks.

The Department of Parks & Wild Life Management now invites eligible consulting firms (consultants) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among others, etc.). The short listing criteria are:

- i) Information about firm's capacity and number of years in conducting similar assignments.
- ii) Technical and managerial organization of the firm
- iii) General qualification and experience of the firm and number of key staff
- iv) Specific Experience in relation to similar assignments conducted in the past

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the World Bank's [*Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants \[under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants\] by World Bank Borrowers*](#) January 2011 edition. (Consultant Guidelines), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest. Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub consultancy to enhance their qualifications.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Consultants Qualification Selection (QCS) method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.



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hours.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below in person, by mail, or by e-mail) by Thursday 20th December 2012.

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